

Eastern Region Dressage

General

All shows are run under Dressage Ireland Rules. It is essential in the interest of safety that the directions of the stewards, the organisers and committee members are followed at all times. Competitors are expected to conduct themselves in a manner befitting the sport. Rude and abusive behaviour towards people and/or animals will not be tolerated under any circumstances. Offenders risk a ban from Eastern Region shows.

Entry fees and Conditions

- Entries must be prepaid and in writing on official entry form.
- **Entries received after closing date will be charged a late fee of €5 per entry**
- Cheques must be made out to “**EASTERN REGION DRESSAGE**” please!
- No phone entries. No text entries will be accepted under any circumstances!
- Fax and email entries will **NOT BE ACCEPTED**
- The Committee reserve the right to hold a ballot on entries if deemed necessary.

Dressage Ireland members

€20 all classes for adult members.

€15 all classes for junior members of Dressage Ireland (under 18 1st January 2010)

Membership and horse registration numbers must be submitted with the entry form.

Non-members of Dressage Ireland

€25 all classes for adults

€20 all classes for juniors (under 18 1st January 2010)

Non-members of Dressage Ireland may compete at any show but will not be eligible for league points and may not compete in Finals or Championships.

Junior non-members may compete in Junior Preliminary and Junior Novice but will not be eligible for league points and may not compete in these classes in Finals or Championships.

All non members will be required to complete a temporary membership form before competing.

Non-members & Training Classes

Special training sections in our Preliminary and novice classes are being offered at Summer shows for non members. These act as a great introduction to the sport of Dressage.

Non-members will be regarded as HC (Hors Concours) in registered Dressage classes

Declaration

All competitors must declare at the show office prior to riding and collect their bridle number, showing their current membership card to the Secretary. Non-members of Dressage Ireland will be required to fill out and sign a Temporary Membership form. Members who fail to produce their card on the day will be required to do the same. No horse will be allowed to enter the warm up or competition arena without its correct bridle number.

Withdrawals

In the event of a competitor being unable to attend at any stage, including the day of the show, they must ring the show secretary and withdraw.

Failure to do so may incur a fine (as per DI rules) and refusal of entries for subsequent shows.

If weather conditions are particularly bad the committee reserve the right to cancel or abandon any show at short notice. If the weather is doubtful please phone 086 2581038 before leaving home.

Please check our website www.easternregiondressage.com for up to date show information.

WINTER SHOWS

EASTERN REGION DRESSAGE WINTER SCHEDULE – QUICK REFERENCE	
Show Date	Entries Close
Boswell, Saturday 23 rd January	Monday 18 th January
Boswell, Saturday 6 th February	Monday 1 st February
Boswell, Saturday 20 th February	Monday 15 th February
Boswell, Saturday 6 th March	Monday 1 st March
Boswell, Saturday 20 th March	Monday 15 th March

Boswell Equestrian Saturday January 23rd 2009

(by Kind permission of Mr and Mrs G. Gorman)

Secretary: Show secretary Ballyvolan House Stud, Newcastle, Greystones, Co. Wicklow

Class 1	Preliminary	BD 4 (2002)
Class 2	Training Preliminary	BD 4 (2002)
Class 3	Preliminary	BD 15 (2008)
Class 4	Junior Preliminary	BD 15 (2008)
Class 5	Novice	BD 27 (2007)
Class 6	Training Novice	BD 27 (2007)
Class 7	Novice	BD 22 (2007)
Class 8	Junior Novice	BD 22 (2007)
Class 9	Elementary	BD44 ((2002)
Class10	Elementary	BD43 (2006)
Class 11	Junior Elementary	BD43 (2006)
Class 12	Medium	BD 61 (2002)
Class 13	Advanced Medium	BD94 (2002)
Class 14	Advanced	BD 100 (002)
Class 15	Prix St George	PSG 2009

Entries close Monday 18th January

Entry Fees:

DI Members €20 all classes for adult members.

 €15 all classes for junior members of Dressage Ireland (under 18 1st January 2010)

Non-members €25 all classes for adults

 €20 all classes for juniors (under 18 1st January 2010)

Withdrawals: Until Tuesday 19th 11am. After that time no refunds will be possible.

Times : Tel: 087-7567870 Thursday 21st from 7pm to 9pm ONLY or online at

www.easternregiondressage.com

Boswell Equestrian Saturday 6th February 2009

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Secretary: Show secretary Ballyvolan House Stud, Newcastle, Greystones, Co. Wicklow

Class 1	Preliminary	BD 4 (2002)
Class 2	Training Preliminary	BD 4 (2002)
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Boswell Equestrian Saturday 20th February 2009

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Class 1	Preliminary	BD 10 (2002)
Class 2	Training Preliminary	BD 10 (2002)
Class 3	Preliminary	BD 19 (2008)
Class 4	Junior Preliminary	BD 19 (2008))
Class 5	Novice	BD 20 (2007)
Class 6	Training Novice	BD 20 (2007)
Class 7	Novice	BD 37 (2007)
Class 8	Junior Novice	BD 37 (2007)
Class 9	Elementary	BD 50 (2007)
Class10	Elementary	BD48 (2007)
Class 11	Junior Elementary	BD48 (2007)
Class 12	Medium	BD 73 (2007)
Class 13	Advanced Medium	BD 98 (2002)
Class 14	Advanced	BD 104 (2007)
Class 15	Prix St George	PSG 2009

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Boswell Equestrian Saturday 6th March 2009

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Class 6	Training Novice	BD 27 (2007)
Class 7	Novice	BD38 (2005)
Class 8	Junior Novice	BD38 (2005)
Class 9	Elementary	BD 50 (2007)
Class10	Elementary	BD 43 (2006)
Class 11	Junior Elementary	BD 43 (2006)
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TRAINING CLASS

An introduction to Dressage at Preliminary and Novice level for non-members of Dressage Ireland. Horses do not need to be registered with Dressage Ireland

EASTERN REGION LEAGUES

The following leagues will be run over the Winter and Summer shows.

Preliminary

Novice

Elementary

Advanced (Medium and above)

The leagues are open to all Dressage Ireland members on registered horses and a horse/rider combination must take part in a minimum of 5 shows in order to be included in any of the leagues and league points will be awarded at every show, including the Finals. A horse/rider combination's best result on the day in any one grade will be used to award points in that league on the following basis:

First	7 point	Fifth	3 points
Second	6 points	Sixth	2 points

Third	5 points	Unplaced	1 points
Fourth	4 points		

Please note that league points have no bearing whatsoever on Dressage Ireland points.

League tables are published regularly on our website.

EASTERN REGION JUNIOR LEAGUE

A league will be run for junior members of Dressage Ireland entered in any classes during the winter and summer season

This league is open to riders aged 18 and under on 1 January 2010. Riders must be members of Dressage Ireland and horses/ponies must be registered to be eligible for this league. A horse/rider combination's best result on the day, whether achieved in a Junior or registered class will be used to award points in that league on the following basis:

First	7 point	Fourth	4 points
Second	6 points	Fifth	3 points
Third	5 points	Sixth	2 points
		Unplaced	1 points

Please note that league points have no bearing whatsoever on Dressage Ireland points.

League tables will be on our website.

While no dressage grading points will be awarded in these classes please note that Dressage Ireland grading applies (i.e. a horse with Novice points may only do the Novice tests). A horse/rider combination must take part in a minimum of 2 shows in order to be included in the league. League points will be awarded at each show including the Winter Finals.

Note: It is not possible for Juniors to win league prizes in the adult league.

Note also that while non-members of Dressage Ireland under the age of 18 may compete in Junior classes at every show (except the Final) and receive placing rosettes they will not be included in the league.

Training Bursaries

A total of 4 training bursaries worth €200 each will be awarded 2 for riders from the Eastern Region over the age of 18 who compete regularly at Eastern Region shows at Preliminary, Novice and Elementary level. To compete for these bursaries riders must attend a minimum of 6 shows over the Winter and Summer season plus the Regional Championships at the end of the summer season. Bursary winners will be determined at the Regional Championships on an adjusted percentage basis using the rider's best score on the day. Winners of Training Bursaries in 2009 are not eligible to compete for these in 2009 but may compete again for bursaries in 2011.